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### WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH LABOR?

#### Editor News:

It has been a long time since I shot off my "bazoo" in the News. None of my letters seemed to be noticed by your many readers, who seem to be more interested in hades, sheol, hell, and what to do to avoid the trio of conditions. It matters not who is right or wrong as to the meaning of the terms. We are all more interested, or should be, in what is the matter with the laborers?

I have before me a lecture, "The Division of Wealth," by Joseph Wanhope, in which I find many good things. I have also "Monkeys and Monkeyites," and "Men and Mules," by W. F. Ries, Toledo, Ohio. Price of each is only 10 cents, and they ought to be read by everyone who makes a living by the sweat of his brow.

If I hire a man at \$2.00 a day to make a chair, and he makes eight chairs worth \$2.00 a-piece, I have \$16, less the \$2.00 paid the mechanic, and the wear and tear of machinery. If I hire another to make saws at \$4.00 per day, and he makes eight saws, worth \$4.00 each, his \$4.00 will buy one saw, or one-eighth of all he produces, and no more. Now, if I hired everybody in the United States, at the same rate, then the combined wages would only pay for one-eighth of the entire product.

According to the United States Bulletin of Labor, the wage earner, as a whole only receives one-eighth of the value of the products of their hands. This is called over-production, which closes down mines, factories, etc. At the cotton factory in Pell City, one woman can tend as high as twenty looms, any one of whom looms will weave more cloth than she could wear out in ten years with a new dress every month. Multiply this by 20 and she could not destroy the cloth by regular wear in a life time, yet she only receives about \$3.00 per day, and thinks she is in the swim. A coal digger will get out on an average ten tons of coal a day, at 50c a ton, or \$5.00 a day. I pay for the same coal \$4.25 per ton, and am glad to get it at that figure. The boss gets \$42.50, less \$5.00 and freight rates, wear and tear of cars, etc., say half, which leaves clear profit on the laborer's muscle of \$18.00 a day. If the laborer had to buy the coal at the price I pay for mine, his day's work would only pay for a little over one ton.

Just so with all other labor. Owing to improved machinery a man will earn eight times the wages he gets, yet the fool still votes the democratic or republican ticket in order to keep himself and his family poor. It makes me tired to read the rot that is put forth by labor doctors. "A mule can kick and still be a mule," "A man can kick and still be a fool, unless he kicks to a purpose." Send 10c to W. F. Ries, Toledo, Ohio, for "Men and Mules"; also 10c for "Monkeys and Monkeyites." Read them both and learn some sense.

#### MORE ANON.

Pell City, Ala.  
P. S. The lecture, "The Division of Labor," by Joseph Wanhope, price 10c, is sold by Wilshire Book Co., 200 William St., New York City. A reading of that lecture will open the eyes of the blind and fool cattle who toil for the masters of wealth. It is the Wilshire Leaflet, No. 17.

The debate between the Washington correspondent and local writer on "Eternal Torment", and the "Immortality of the Soul", is creating wide spread interest, and their articles are closely read. It is a pretty important subject, and both writers are able in presenting their views.

A man is a fool who works for nothing these days.

#### Program Teachers' Association.

The following is the program of the Marion County Teachers' Association, which meets at Jasper, Sept. 4  
Quotations from Poe, Gladys Kelly  
Sketch of Poe's Life, Nell Kelly  
Prose Reading, "Silence", Miss Locke  
Violin Solo, Maud Deakins  
Reading, "The Bells", Cleo Chastain  
Debate—Resolved: That Marion County should have a High School.  
Affirmative, Negative  
W. S. Pryor, T. R. Hackworth  
J. T. Boyd, S. T. Raulston,  
Piano Solo, Aline Pryor  
Geographical Influences, Bessie Patton  
Supt. A. S. KELLY,  
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### Mars Hill.

Special to the News.

This is a beautiful day. It seems that everybody is enjoying it, for we have been having a lot of rainy weather.

We had a nice quiet wedding take place on Mars Hill today. We had the pleasure of seeing Mr. Clay Owen and Miss Renie Strum united in matrimony. Bro. Will Cannon, of White City, officiated. Few witnessed the marriage, as it was known to but few of the neighbors. The young couple took dinner with ye writer and left for Sequatchee Monday where they will make their future home. They are both liked by all that know them. Ye writer wishes them a long and happy life.

Times are hard here now and have been for a long time. A good many of our Tracy people have gone to Alabama City and to other places to get work.

Miss Fannie Levan has returned from Alabama City. She says that the people can't stand the hot weather to go from here now. We are glad to have her back with us again.

Mrs. Jeffie Levan and son left this morning for Sequatchee Valley to spend a week with her parents and friends.

Miss Ellen Floyd is very sick this week. Hope she will soon be able to be out on our streets again.

Wonder what has become of Jim Barrett of Sequatchie. Would like to see him.

S. R. and W. C. Levan and families visited their father last Sunday evening.

Come on, all of you writers. Some of you, I believe, have been asleep. Wake up for there are a great many people that like to read your pieces in the News. I can't hardly wait until my paper comes to hear from a great many places. Come on, Cole Creek. It is just like getting a letter from my boy. I sure got that piece you asked me about.

A fine lot of sheep passed ye writer's this evening. I guess they were going to stop at Tracy City. There are a good many of us that would like to have a good fat sheep now.

Well, "G. M." I would have loved to have been with you when you got those fish cooked, but don't care anything about eggs and snakes.

I got a letter from two of my dear boys today and was very sorry that one of them was sick. I believe with all of my heart that my prayers will be answered. Son, art thou living as God wants his children to, looking to heaven and praying to the Lord every day and believing in him with all of thy heart? Ask of the Lord and you will surely receive. May we all meet together at home again. Oh, Father, remember thy servant's prayers.

W. M. L.

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### Atpontley Mines Resume.

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### Small Wreck.

The local freight or "Cannon Ball" wrecked four coal cars at Orme Junction Friday morning, which caused a delay of about an hour. The wreck was slight and soon removed. No one was hurt.

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## WHITWELL DOTS

James Miller, of Victoria, was here Friday.

C. C. Houts, of Sequatchie, was here Friday, purchasing school books.

John Morrison, of Dunlap, is here, painting the residence of Dr. J. L. Leay on Main St.

Shug Johnson, driver for the Burnett Milling Co., Jasper, was here Friday with a load of flour.

J. S. Condra, recently landed a 35-lb catfish from the waters of Big Sequatchie. Condra is a blacksmith, but he fishes some, too.

Dr. N. B. Moore, the pioneer dentist of this place, is making some improvements to his office, mirrors, etc., which will add greatly to it.

Some of our merchants report trade good, while others say it is hard times. The News would like to see all of them hustling and enjoying life.

Bertram Ashburn is conducting a Pressing Club, and meeting with success. He is contemplating getting a room in which to conduct the business, that of cleaning and pressing clothes.

Hugh Anderson, of Jasper, is here selling shares in a Florida development Company, which seems to be a good thing for investment. Mr. Anderson has closed some eighteen contracts so far.

Will Shelton, a prominent farmer of near Sulphur Spring, was here Friday. Mr. Shelton is much interested in intensive farming and is trying to apply the principles in his farm management.

The Holiness preachers who have been conducting open air meetings in Hudson's Grove for so long a time, are still continuing them, and it is said they have sent for a big tent under which to conduct them.

"Bob" Manzy, of Dunlap, was here Friday, selling the fine article in flour made by the Dunlap Milling Co. Mr. Manzy is now with that milling company as bookkeeper, having resigned his position a depot agent with the N. C. & St. L. R'y, after a service of 21 years.

Dr. Fred Pryor is now located in his new office near the post office. He has planned very excellently for convenience in his profession, and the furniture and dental equipments are up-to-date. The doctor has a fine eye to the aesthetic and believes in handsome surroundings.

### Quinton, Ala.

Special to the News.

Hilburn Robins returned from Bonner Saturday.

Elder Penegar is holding a meeting at the little church on the Okly Holly road.

"Mr. Kirkpatrick, from Birmingham, has moved to the camp.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Malden is sick.

Mrs. Nickles was in town shopping Saturday.

Jake Lavine went to Birmingham Friday.

Work is getting better fast at this place.

Jake Lavine had bad luck one day last week. He is a Jew peddler of this place and started to cross Warrior river with his horse and wagon and seven trunks of dry goods. He got into a hole, his horse was drowned and he came very near being drowned himself. He saved his wagon and harness and one trunk. The other six trunks and \$216 in money was lost.

There was a graveyard cleaning at the Okly Holly graveyard Saturday.

Mrs. Amy Parks and children were visiting Mrs. Ada Malden Sunday morning.

Don't you think the passenger train that came through here this morning came through end ways.

Come again, "Lazy Joe," from Meeks. That was a good one.

Mrs. Bertha Mason was visiting Mrs. Ada Malden Sunday.

I guess a cyclone has swept through Elbow Hollow as we can't get any more news from there. Whistling Tim.

### 'Twas a Glorious Victory.

There's rejoicing in Federa, Tenn. A man's life has been saved, and now Dr. King's New Discovery is the talk of the town for curing C. V. Pepper of deadly lung hemorrhage. "I could not work nor get about," he writes, "and the doctors did me no good, but, after using Dr. King's New Discovery three weeks, I feel like a new man, and can do good work again." For weak, sore or diseased lungs, Coughs and Colds, Hemorrhages, hay fever, legrippe, asthma or any bronchial affection it stands unrivaled. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold and guaranteed by Whitwell Drug Co.

### Hand Crushed.

W. J. Pennington, driver of the company's wagon, got his left hand severely crushed Friday while unloading hickory timber. The flesh was mashed off in bad shape, and Mr. Pennington is now crippled from further work until the injury is cured.

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### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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## BIG GOOD ROADS MEETING AT NASHVILLE

State Officials and State Fair Preparing to Put Strength Behind the Movement in Tennessee—Experts Will Demonstrate.

Nashville.—Having enlisted in the good roads movement the Tennessee State Fair will go at it "tooth and nails" with the purpose of making "Good Roads Day" Wednesday, September 22, an inspiration that will result in the construction of improved highways in every part of the South.

Recognizing that good roads not only pay for themselves, but place the farmer in a position to add rapidly to their wealth the fair management will endeavor to arouse enthusiasm to the point of ACTION; but the matter will not stop here—there will be demonstrations of the best methods and government experts will tell how these methods may be adapted to any given conditions.

"It has invariably been the counties that have not been timid about providing good roads that have progressed most rapidly, and in which more people are independent," says an East Tennessee paper editorially, citing Hamblen county, whose capital is Morristown, as an example.

Hamblen county recently voted \$200,000 in bonds to extend its system of good roads. That county had already provided a partial system of pikes a few years ago, and since that time the value of lands has already more than doubled, while the county has made a rapid advance as a truck farming section.

With this object lesson proving the soundness of the good roads theory, the people were ready and willing to assume the responsibilities of a bond issue in order to get the benefits of a more comprehensive system.

The "Good Roads Day" at the State Fair will come during a good roads conference, which has been called by the Governor to meet at the State capital September 21, and which will be in session several days, and the fair management will co-operate with the State officials in getting for the people of the South the very best results—results that will help to make a more comfortable and more prosperous Tennessee.

Delegates to the conference have been appointed by all of the county courts and most of the mayors throughout Tennessee, and about 150 for the State at large have been appointed by the Governor—altogether there will be present nearly 1,000 delegates and alternates.

Among the good roads advocates who will address the conference are P. St. John Wilson, State Highway Commissioner of Virginia; Sam C. Lancaster of Jackson, Tenn., one of the United States government's corps of experts. Besides these there will be numerous other speakers and demonstrators equipped with the necessary apparatus for giving graphic illustrations along with their talks on means and methods.

This good roads conference and the co-operative work of the State Fair will do much toward creating and sustaining interest in improvement of highways.

### ONE OBJECT IS TO DOUBLE FARM VALUES

Besides Affording Week of Wholesale Recreation Tennessee State Fair Helps the Farmer Increase His Bank Account.

To double farm values in Tennessee isn't such a monumental task as it sounds—it's principally a question of the adoption of more up-to-date methods of farming and the recognition of the value of live stock to the land as well as to the owner's bank account.

It is to the preaching of these principles and illustrating and demonstrating their truth that the county and State fairs of the South are largely devoted. The Tennessee State Fair, which will be held at Nashville during the week of September 20-25, is by far the largest and best equipped Southern exponent of this idea. Not only has this fair offered a premium list calling for over \$35,000 in cash, but in every department the idea of teaching and demonstrating with the help of the exhibits has been put to practical use. In the poultry department, for instance, there will be a free stereopticon lecture given several times each day by government experts; then out in front of the entrance on a raised platform the judges will, at certain hours each day, score the birds publicly, explaining with each step WHY this bird scores less than that one and HOW to remedy the defect.

Thus the fair is not only an exhibition, but it has as well the essential elements of a short course at an agricultural school—excepting that the patrons of the fair get the benefit of over \$10,000 worth of free amusement features, including the prize band of America, fireworks every night, six big outdoor acts, etc., etc. Thus the visitor gets wholesome recreation as well as money-making ideas.

### SPECIAL CLASS FOR WORK OF OLD LADIES AT STATE FAIR

An interesting new section in the premium list for the Woman's Department of the State Fair at Nashville—September 20-25—is for articles that have been made by ladies over 60 years old. The prizes are provided for each lot in this class—\$70 altogether.

The articles to be made by the old ladies are as follows: Knitted ladies' slippers, crocheted ladies' slippers, knitted wool socks, crocheted or knitted gloves or mittens, crocheted or knitted shoulder cape, crocheted or knitted wool Afghan or lap robe, crocheted or knitted bed spread, set crocheted table mats (not less than six), best specimen knitted cotton lace (not less than two yards), best specimen crocheted cotton lace, draw-work piece, Battenberg piece, Kensington embroidery piece, point lace or Honiton, best specimen of tatting, outline embroidery, beemstitching.

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